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In re application of: Kazutoyo MAEHIRO

Application No. : 09/820,530

Filed : March 29, 2001

For : METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR JOINING ELECTRONIC CONFERENCE

Mail Stop Amendment
 Group Art Unit: 2152

Examiner: Chad ZHONG

Mail Stop Amendment

Commissioner for Patents
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 Customer Service Window, Mail Stop Amendment
 Randolph Building
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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an **Amendment under 37 C.F.R. 1.111** in the above-captioned application.

_____ Small Entity Status of this application under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a previously filed statement.

_____ A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.

_____ A Request for Extension of Time.

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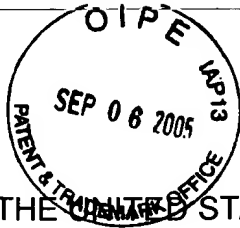
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Sir:

In response to the Official Action of June 6, 2005, in which a three-month shortened statutory period for response was set to expire on September 6, 2005, applicant respectfully requests reconsideration and withdrawal of the outstanding rejections set forth in the above-mentioned Official Action in view of the following amendments and remarks.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this Response.

Remarks begin on page 7 of this Response.